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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 840.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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In re New Application of: Thomas Schmitz, et al.

Application Serial No. 09/738,264

Filed: December 15, 2000

Group Art Unit: 2613

Examiner:

For: Image Detecting System

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF  
NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION MAILED 02/27/2001

In response to the Notice, please find enclosed the combined Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by the inventors.

Applicants respectfully petition for one month extension of time for reply. A separate petition is attached.

A check in the amount of \$950.00 to cover the Statutory Filing Fee, the Declaration surcharge, and the Extension Fee (\$710.00 + \$130.00 + \$110.00 = \$950.00) is attached. A copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application is enclosed.

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MAILING CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on May 10, 2001.

Name of person signing: Lawrence G. Fridman

Earlier examination of the referenced application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,  
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